

## Trans Missouri Flashes.

We have been snow-bound for about four weeks—(at home of course,) and have failed up to date, Jan. 23, to meet any of our revival appointments since we left Carleton, Neb. As soon as the snow blockade is raised we expect to go to Sumner Co.

Some people are blockaded by prejudice.

It here becomes somewhat amusing to see people trying to be members of two or more churches at the same time. But then such folks are often very good people.

A consolidation of the Brethren and German Baptist church. There is a way to stop their money begging in the EVANGELIST. Guess.

Like begets like, hence if you are cross, some one else will be.

EVANGELIST No. 3 is full of cheering news.

es is an utter impossibility. The one is under episcopal, and the other under congregational rule, and you might as well try to mix oil and water.

A mother has more influence over a family than a father has.

Intelligence is often more sensitive than ignorance.

No loyal minister of the gospel will shun to preach doctrine, but then what is doctrine? Will some one tell us?

Ingersoll denounces faith and yet would not undertake to cross over a bridge had he not faith that is was safe to do so.

A wife's happy smile often lifts burdens of discouragements which no other earthly power could move.

Assistance should be given to those who are needy.

Those who tell us our faults usually love us best.

Never indulge in habits annoying to your associations.

"It is not all of life to live." No, no, there are grander purposes for which we exist.

John Bunyan will continue a grander character in history than W. H. Vanderbilt. Why?

Say to mere wealth, say to mere bread and butter, "get thee behind me Satan."

Show me a happy household and I will show you a kind and cheerful woman at the head of it.

Too many subjects often crowd my mind and force the wish that I was a good essayist; am very sorry that I am not.

If all snow-bound travelers during the recent storm had been as well cared for as Bro. Holsinger and wife, they would have fared very much better than many of them did.

All over the country we hear of people having frozen to death during the severe cold weather.

Nearly everybody prophesied a mild winter for Kansas and "nearly everybody" was mistaken.

Blessed is the man or woman who keeps spiritually warm this cold weather.

Some times the burdens of life seem hard to bear, but then Jesus said through me ye can do all things.

Three short sermons was the program at the Baptist church in Morrill, last night. First the Lutheran minister, second the writer, third the Baptist minister. It made us think of the Savior's prayer, "May they be one" &c. We all could be if we would throw away our creeds.

He who leaves the foot-prints of good doing, "on the sands of

time" makes the greatest success of life.

W. J. H. BAUMAN.  
Morrill, Kans.

## Sister Pearson's Death.

Died, Dec. 27th, 1885, at the family residence in North Star, O., Sister Elizabeth A. Pearson, age, 45 years, 6 mo. and 6 days.

She leaves her aged parents Samuel and Isabella Oaks, her husband Dr. A. Pearson, one son and three daughters, to mourn her loss. Two of the latter are aged 9 and 11 years, respectively, while the other children are of mature age.

After eight weeks of almost incessant suffering from a diseased liver, which she bore with great patience, this faithful sister died in the triumphs of saving grace, leaving the clearest evidence both by a godly life, and triumphant death, that she was prepared for the change. Indeed if it be possible for mortals, poised on the verge of eternity to see the heavenly host and enjoy their fruition and at the same time recognize their friends in the flesh, she did. At the sight of the former she clasped her hands and said, "Glory to God." and with almost the next breath begged of the latter—"meet me in Heaven."—"Will you meet me in Heaven?"

For many weeks she believed her time of departure was approaching, and spoke of it with a placid hope that would put to shame every form of infidelity or lukewarm faith; but desiring to leave nothing undone she called the elders and was anointed.

About the middle of her illness she had a dream with which she was much delighted and which suggested to her the theme of her funeral discourse, which she related as follows:

"I was in company with a large concourse of pleasant people, dressed in white all plain, but there was something about it that made it grandly beautiful attire. We traveled a perfectly smooth unfatiguing road, preceded by two beautiful white horses, and after a time the road forked the other branch being very rough, sideling and precipitous. I did not see any one travel it. The smooth road ascended a high eminence by such perfectly arranged, smooth dressed stone steps that we made the ascent, led by the white horses, to an immense height without fatigue, and in a beautiful valley just over the summit lay a city whose beauty and grandeur, together with its inhabitants and their felicity are beyond my power to describe."

While I put little stress on dreams, as a whole, this one coming from the source it did and so aptly illustrating the travel of infancy to the dividing point of accountability, then picturing the rough uneven road of sin, and the tranquil road of righteousness to its goal preceded all the way by the plural emblem of strength and purity, impressed me that it might with propriety be given a wider circulation.

Funeral services were conducted at North Star, on the 29th, from Matt. 7th, 13 and 14, by the undersigned, assisted by Rev. Sepinger. Rev. Butt and Elder Grove, in presence of the largest audience, said ever to have assembled in that country on such an occasion; and again at the brethren church in Pleasant Hill, the former residence of deceased, on the 30th, assisted by Elder Grove and Rev. Fenner, at which place the body of our much esteemed sister was interred.

H. G. ULERY.  
Covington, O., Jan. 11, 1886.

## Treasurer's Report of Missionary Work in Kansas.

Feb. 3, 1885, Cash on hand, \$9.75

## RECEIPTS.

Dec. — Pleasant Valley Church, 5.50

## EXPENDITURES.

Jan. 5, 1886, Eld. A. J. Hixson 15.25

Jan. 20, 1886, Bal. on hand

F. C. SHAFER, Treas.

Mulvane, Kas.

## GENERAL NEWS.

The smallpox has broken out among the Mohawk Indians.

The Northwest experienced another severe storm last week.

Five hundred ingrain carpet weavers at Philadelphia have gone out on a strike.

The highest price paid for the choice of pews in Plymouth Church, at the recent sale, was \$885.

A guard of eight detectives is placed over the tomb of Vanderbilt, in Staten Island, to prevent its being disturbed.

One hundred thousand dollars worth of property was destroyed in Chicago, on the 23rd, by fire.

A Kansas circuit judge has decided that the State must pay the loss on property reduced in value by prohibitory laws.

Daniel Wise has been arrested at Fostoria, O., for forging a pension voucher for money belonging to another man of the same name.

Mrs. Mijatovitch, wife of the Serbian minister to Great Britain, is an American lady. She is said to be the author of all the minister's state papers.

Have you heard of Dr. J. H. McLean's Wine Tar Lung Ralm? It is really wonderful how rapidly it cures Coughing, Throat and Lung Diseases.

One firm in Western Massachusetts last year made 130,000 drums, using 500,000 feet of lumber, 35,000 sheepskins, 2,200 pounds of cord, and tons of other fittings.

D. P. Morgan died in Washington City, Sunday, the 24th. He was one of the most successful speculators in the country. It is said he made over two millions last year.

The wars in the mining regions in Western Pennsylvania broke out anew last week, and several little battles took place. Several persons lost their lives in the conflict. Over 2,000 miners are now idle.

The publishers of Gen. Grant's Memoirs have paid to Mrs. Grant the first installment of her profit for the publication in a check for \$250,000, and give assurance that her share will be at least \$700,000.

By lack of open air exercise, and the want of sufficient care in the matter of diet, the whole physical mechanism becomes impaired during the winter. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the proper remedy to take in the spring of the year to purify the blood, excite the liver to action, and restore health and vigor.

Seven brothers, raving maniacs, were put in the Jacksonville, Ill., asylum last week. Their whole aim of life was money, and a sharper induced them to invest in a mythical Nevada silver mine. When they discovered the fact they became insane.

Hall's Hair Renewer renews, cleanses, brightens, and invigorates the hair, and restores faded or gray hair to its youthful color and lustre. People with gray hair should use the Renewer, and thus conceal from the world their bleached locks and advancing age.

Mrs. Elizabeth Myers, who died recently in Antis township, had attained the age of 107 years. The next oldest person in this part of the country, still living, is Robert Stewart, near Ramey, Clearfield county. He will be 105 years old next March, and from present indications is good for a few years more.—Tyrone, (Pa.) Herald.

James Bagley, section foreman of the C. & M. R. R., who had not slept a whole night for over a year, after taking the third dose of Athlorphos slept soundly and has had no rheumatism since. A. S. Cailey, druggist, Witkle Ohio.

The most disastrous mine explosion ever known in the annals of West Virginia mining occurred at Newburg in the shaft of the Newburg Orrell Coal company at that point. The shaft is 335 feet deep, at the bottom of which thirty-seven miners—men and boys were at work in the different gangways and chambers. Without a moment's warning, a terrific explosion occurred, dealing death and destruction to the vicinity. The shock of the explosion was felt throughout the village and at once created a panic among the citizens, especially among those who had relatives employed in the mines. Thirty-seven persons perished.

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## The Brethren Annual.

The Brethren Annual for 1886, contains besides the usual calendar, a Biography of Alexander Mack, and Daniel P. Sawyer, author of the "Mandatory Resolution," with portrait, a short history of the Brethren Church, by J. B. Wampler, School House No. 7 and the Arnold's Grove Conference, by H. R. Holsinger and J. H. Worst, with engraving of the school house, list of ministers of the Brethren Church important events of the year, ending Oct. 1st, 1885, reports from churches, and interesting miscellaneous matter. It is printed on good, heavy paper, nicely bound. It makes a document that every member of the Brethren Church will want to preserve.

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## Time Table.

## Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne &amp; Chicago Ry.

Schedule in Effect, Nov. 29, 1885.

Trains depart from Mansfield station as follows:

GOING WEST	
Train	Depart.
No. 9	12:25 p.m.
No. 1	6:25 a.m.
No. 7	4:58 p.m.
No. 3	7:40 p.m.

GOING EAST	
Train	Depart.
No. 10	6:45 a.m.
No. 8	12:15 a.m.
No. 6	10:40 a.m.
No. 4	9:10 p.m.

Local Freight going west at 12:50 p.m., and carries passengers between Mansfield and Crestline. Going east leaves at 6:25 a.m. and carries passengers between Mansfield and Alliance.

## The Pittsburg &amp; Lake Erie R. R.

On and after Dec. 14th, 1885, trains will run as follows: Central Time.

WESTWARD	
Lv Pittsburg	5:50 a.m. 1:55 p.m.
" Jewett	7:55 " 3:45 "
" Youngtown	8:25 " 4:15 "
Ar Ashland	11:47 p.m. 8:35 "
" Mansfield	12:15 " 9:11 "
EASTWARD	
Lv Mansfield	6:22 a.m. 1:25 p.m.
" Ashland	6:51 " 1:59 "
" Youngtown	10:55 " 5:43 "
Ar Newcastl	11:30 " 6:10 "
" Pittsburg	1:30 p.m. 8:00 "
Daily	
A. D. SMITH, Gen. Pass. Agt.	

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Dec. 15th, 1885.

## Railroad Time Card.

EAST BOUND.	
(Standard time.)	No. 1. No. 2. No. 3. No. 4.
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Leave Chicago	P. M. P. M. P. M. P. M.
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Defiance	10 20 11 30 12 40 1 50
Deshler	10 45 11 55 1 05 2 15
Fostoria	11 20 12 30 1 40 2 50
Sandusky	12 25 1 35 2 45 3 55
Mansfield	1 35 2 45 3 55 5 05
Lexington	1 55 3 05 4 15 5 25
Newark	2 15 3 25 4 35 5 45
Columbus	Leave 3 30 4 40 5 50 7 00
St. Louis	7 00 8 10 9 20 10 30
Louisville	A. M. P. M. P. M.
Cincinnati	7 30 8 40 9 50 11 00
Newark	8 15 9 25 10 35 11 45
Zanesville	8 40 9 50 11 00 12 10
Cambridge	8 55 10 05 11 15 12 25
Bellaire	9 10 10 20 11 30 12 40
Pittsburg	9 25 10 35 11 45 12 55
Washington	9 40 10 50 12 00 1 10
Baltimore	9 55 11 05 12 15 1 25

WEST BOUND.	
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Washington	6 10 7 20 8 30 9 40
Pittsburg	6 25 7 35 8 45 9 55
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Bellaire	6 55 8 05 9 15 10 25
Cambridge	7 10 8 20 9 30 10 40
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\*Trains run daily. †Daily except Sunday. Sleeping Cars on all through trains between Baltimore, Washington, Chicago, Pittsburg, Wheeling, Columbus and Cincinnati. C. K. LORD, Gen'l Pass. Agent, BALTIMORE, MD. W. E. REPPERT, Div. Pass. Agent, COLUMBUS, OHIO.

## LAKE ERIE &amp; WESTERN R. Y.

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